



ROCKAWAY TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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ANNOUNCING GENERAL EDUCATION PRESCHOOL PROGRAM OPENINGS

The Rockaway Township Public Schools continues to offer a tuition-based general education preschool program from **September 2018 through June 2019**. The district is currently accepting applications from resident families interested in having their 3 or 4 year old child(ren) attend our preschool program. In order to be eligible, children must have turned 3 by October 1, 2018 and be toilet-trained.

The program operates on a half-day schedule (A.M. or P.M.), Monday through Friday, with a maximum student enrollment of 15 students per class. Class sessions run from 8:18-11:03 and 12:03-2:48. The cost for the program is \$3,000.00 for a half-day session for the 10 month school year and will operate according to the school district's regular school schedule. Parents are required to provide their own transportation and snack for their enrolled children.

Children are selected on a year-round basis via ***first come first served process***. **Selected families will be contacted in May 2018 to secure placement with a \$500.00 non-refundable deposit to the Rockaway Township Board of Education along with our registration packet.** Subsequent monthly payments of \$250.00 will be due no later than the 5th of each month, September through June, also payable to the Board of Education. Children who are not selected will remain on the waiting list for future possible openings.

Children have an opportunity to learn within a nurturing school environment. Staffing includes a certified preschool teacher and a classroom assistant. The method of instruction will be guided by the Creative Curriculum, a highly regarded early childhood preschool curriculum. In addition, children receive physical education, library, art, and music education. The program is located at the Dennis B. O'Brien Elementary School located at 418 Mineral Springs Drive, Dover, NJ 07801.

If you are interested in having your child(ren) included in this program, please forward a completed application to the Rockaway Township District Board Office at 16 School Road, P.O. Box 500, Hibernia, NJ 07842 or you may fax it to (973) 627-7968. Applications are available online at the district website:

<http://www.rocktwp.org>

Only hard copies will be accepted.

For additional information, please contact the Rockaway Township Board of Education Office at 973-627-8200 ext. 200